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<u>MEMORANDUM</u>

TO: The Chair and Members of the Commission

FROM: Toni Loper, Public Utility Analyst

SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT APPLICATION OF VERIZON DELAWARE LLC (F/K/A

VERIZON DELAWARE INC.) AND ONVOY, LLC (SUCCESSOR TO ONVOY, INC.) FOR APPROVAL OF AN INTERCONNECTION/RESALE AGREEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 252(e) OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996 (SUBMITTED DECEMBER 17, 2015;

FILED JANUARY 30, 2016) - PSC DOCKET No. 16-1093

On December 1, 2016, Verizon Delaware LLC, f/k/a Verizon Delaware Inc. ("Verizon"), and Onvoy, LLC (Successor to Onvoy, Inc.) ("Onvoy" and collectively with Verizon, the "Applicants") filed an joint application (the "Application") requesting the Public Service Commission ("Commission") approve amendment ("Amendment No. 1") to a negotiated Interconnection/Resale Agreement (the "Agreement") which went into effect in PSC Docket No. 15-0666 (January 30, 2015).

Notice of the Application and the Amendment No. 1 were placed on the Commission's website on December 1, 2016. The Notice advised interested parties that any person who wished to protest or to comment upon this application must do so in a written document filed with the Commission and served upon the Applicants on or before January 6, 2017. The Commission received no protests or comments.

The Commission has previously allowed such applications to become effective by statutory approval without Commission action. The result seems appropriate under the circumstances. Staff's recommendation is that the Commission takes no action on the application within the statutory 90 day period so the Agreement is deemed to have gone into effect.